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## CROATIAN FACTORIES EXPAND; OTHERS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, PLANNED

NEW SHOPS ADDED TO PLANTS -- Ljubljana Slovenski Porocevalec, 30 Aug 50

The second shop of the food-processing machinery factory in Jankomir is almost completed. The new forging shop of the steam boiler factory in Zitnjak will begin operation before the end of 1950. The smelter and forging shop of the "Djuro Djakovic" Railroad Car Factory, which cover an area of 7,000 square meters, are being completed. The large foundry in the "Prvomajska" Machine Tool Factory in Zagreb is already under roof.

Seven flour mills are being completed at various locations in Croatia. When current construction at the poultry farm in Mece is completed, the farm will produce one carload of processed poultry meat per day. Two hog farms, one in Josipovec and one in Zupanja, each of which will have a capacity of 6,000 hogs, are also nearing completion.

The "Vetserum" Factory in Kalinovica will acquire new equipment, which will increase its serum production by 70 percent.

TO BUILD NEW KNIFE FACTORY -- Ljubljana Slovenski Porocevalec, 23 Sep 50

In Ada, in the Vojvodina, two small enterprises, manufacturing various kinds of knives, were combined in April 1950. The new combined enterprise has been named "Iskra." Because the new enterprise is too small, a new factory will be built soon. It will manufacture metal products for general consumption as well as knives.

PLAN NEW TEXTILE FACTORY -- Ljubljana Slovenski Porocevalec, 23 Sep 50

In Virac, Slavonia, preparations are being made to build a new textile factory, which will process fine flax fibers into material for raincoats and tents.

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The factory is expected to begin production during the first half of 1951. One hundred and fifty carloads of fine flax fibers have already been shipped to the site of the future factory.

FEATHER-PROCESSING FACTORY IN OPERATION -- Belgrade Rad, 28 Aug 50

Recently the feather-processing factory in Velika Plana, Croatia, began operation. Four machines for the processings of feathers have been installed already. Several additional machines will be procured so that the factory will be able to process on schedule all the feathers that have been purchased.

BRICK FACTORY UNDER CONSTRUCTION -- Belgrade Rad, 29 Aug 50

In Spuz, Montenegro, a new brick factory is under construction. A motor-driven press has been set up already. At present, a large press with a capacity of 20,000 bricks per shift is being set up. The motor-driven press produced 130,000 raw tiles during 18 days.

TO BUILD NEW STORAGE BATTERY FACTORY -- Ljubljana Slovenski Porocevalec, 23 Aug 50

In Skradin, Dalmatia, the construction of a new storage battery factory will begin soon. A special aqueduct will be constructed between the Krka River and Skradin to supply the factory with water.

WAR ENTERPRISES CONTRIBUTE TO SECOND LOAN -- Belgrade Borba, 24 Aug 50

The workers of the following war enterprises contributed to the second People's Loan: the "Krusik," "Crvena Zastava," "Milan Blagojevic," and "Prvi Partizan" Enterprises, and the "Prvoborac" War Construction Enterprise.

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